



Public Participation Opportunity
Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC)
Division of Water Resources (DWR)
Notice Requesting Public Comments on Draft Permit Actions

June 09, 2014

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The purpose of this notice is to advise the public of the following proposed permit actions and to solicit comments and information necessary to evaluate the potential impact of the proposed activities on human health and the environment. A list of Notices of Intent (NOIs) received by the DWR is available on our DataViewer web page :

<http://tn.gov/environment/dataviewers.shtml>

Individual NPDES Permit for Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations

Proposed Reissuances

Applicant Name	Mike Sumners Dairy		
Permit Number	TN0080667	Permit Writer Initials	HVA
County	Henry	Discharger rating	Minor
Street Address/Location	5945 Jones Bend Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Paris, TN 38242		
Description of Activity	Four barn dairy operation with 900 total head. Copy of application and CNMP available at EFO or TDA Ellington Ag Center.		
Effluent Description	uncontaminated storm water runoff only, except for a catastrophic event or a chronic rainfall event larger than a 25-year, 24-hour rainfall event		
Receiving Stream	Old Town Creek and various unnamed tributaries to Walnut Fork Creek		
Facility Latitude	36.33	Facility Longitude	-88.43

Applicant Name	R. D. Robinson Farms		
Permit Number	TN0074942	Permit Writer Initials	HVA
County	Weakley	Discharger rating	Minor
Street Address/Location	370 Hudson Springs Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Sharon, TN 38255		
Description of Activity	Four barn hog operation holding 960 head each (3,840 head total). All waste exported off-site. Copy of application/NMP available at EFO or TDA Ellington Ag Center.		
Effluent Description	a no discharge system except for wastewater discharges resulting from catastrophic, chronic, or other rain event larger than a 25-year, 24-hour rainfall event		
Receiving Stream	unnamed tributary to Middle Fork Obion River		
Facility Latitude	36.24	Facility Longitude	-88.77

Individual NPDES Permits

Proposed Modifications

Applicant Name	Huntsville STP at Helenwood		
Permit Number	TN0060186	Permit Writer Initials	WDM
County	Scott	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Knoxville
Street Address/Location	377 Fire Department Lane		
City and/or Zip Code	Helenwood, TN 37755		
Description of Activity	Treatment of municipal sewage; Modification transfers the NPDES permit to the Town of Huntsville for a 5 year term. Scott County transferred the central and west end sewer system including Helenwood STP to Huntsville via interlocal agreement in May 2014.		
Effluent Description	treated municipal wastewater from Outfall 001		
Receiving Stream	Phillips Creek Mile 4.1		
Facility Latitude	36.43	Facility Longitude	-84.55

Proposed Reissuances

Applicant Name	Kilgore Flares Company, LLC		
Permit Number	TN0000205	Permit Writer Initials	JCM
County	Hardeman	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Jackson
Street Address/Location	155 Kilgore Drive		
City and/or Zip Code	Toone, TN 38381		
Description of Activity	Production of pyrotechnic distress signals (emergency flares), location markers, decoy flares, etc.		
Effluent Description	sanitary wastewater, wash-down water and process wastewater from Outfall 001		
Receiving Stream	unnamed Tributary to Pugh Creek at mile 1.3 (Outfall 001)		
Facility Latitude	35.36	Facility Longitude	-88.95

Applicant Name	Monteagle STP #3		
Permit Number	TN0080985	Permit Writer Initials	PJH
County	Grundy	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Chattanooga
Street Address/Location	Highway 64 West		
City and/or Zip Code	Monteagle, TN 37356		
Description of Activity	Discharge of treated municipal wastewater to Juanita Creek (Outfall 001) and to an unnamed tributary to Trussell Creek (Outfall 002)		
Effluent Description	treated municipal wastewater		
Receiving Stream	Juanita Creek mile 1.3 and an unnamed tributary mile 1.0 to Trussell Creek		
Facility Latitude	35.23	Facility Longitude	-85.86

Applicant Name	TDOT I-24 Rest Area (East Bound)		
Permit Number	TN0027626	Permit Writer Initials	JCM
County	Marion	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Chattanooga
Street Address/Location	Near Jasper on I - 24 East		
City and/or Zip Code	Jasper, TN 37347		
Description of Activity	Septic tank, recirculating sand filter and UV disinfection		
Effluent Description	treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001		
Receiving Stream	Tennessee River at mile 429.1 (Nickajack Reservoir)		
Facility Latitude	35.02	Facility Longitude	-85.56

Applicant Name	TVA Nickajack Hydro Plant		
Permit Number	TN0027472	Permit Writer Initials	GMDa
County	Marion	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Chattanooga
Street Address/Location	180 Powerhouse Road		
City and/or Zip Code	South Pittsburg, TN 37380		
Description of Activity	Electric Services		
Effluent Description	cooling water, miscellaneous drainage from internal operations of dam, river water evacuated during unwatering operations		
Receiving Stream	Tennessee River		
Facility Latitude	35.00	Facility Longitude	-85.62

Applicant Name	TWRA - Buffalo Springs Fish Hatchery		
Permit Number	TN0062162	Permit Writer Initials	SEF
County	Grainger	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Knoxville
Street Address/Location	Route 4, Box 260		
City and/or Zip Code	Rutledge, TN 37861		
Description of Activity	Fish Hatcheries and Preserves		
Effluent Description	industrial wastewater (water from a fish farm operation) through Outfall 001		
Receiving Stream	Buffalo Creek at mile 1.8		
Facility Latitude	36.21	Facility Longitude	-83.55

State Operation Permits

Proposed Reissuances

Applicant Name	Bush Brothers & Co.		
Permit Number	SOP-79058	Permit Writer Initials	BCH
County	Jefferson	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Knoxville
Street Address/Location	3304 Chestnut Hill Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Chestnut Hill, TN 37725		
Description of Activity	Treatment and spray irrigation of treated process and domestic wastewater from processing beans, hominy and related food products and pretreated process wastewater from the Ball Corp. can manufacturing facility located on the Bush Brothers & Co. site.		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed		
Receiving Stream	No direct discharge is allowed. Approved spray irrigations sites are located adjacent to Clear Creek (and its tributary Slatey Branch), Muddy Creek (and its tributary Anderson Branch), Flat Creek, and unnamed tributaries to the Creeks and Branches.		
Facility Latitude	35.93	Facility Longitude	-83.34

Applicant Name	City of Brentwood		
Permit Number	SOP-88068	Permit Writer Initials	JAH
County	Williamson	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Nashville
Street Address/Location	City of Brentwood		
	1750 Gen. George Patten Dr		
City and/or Zip Code	Brentwood, TN 37027		
Description of Activity	Collection system to Metro Nashville Sewerage System		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed		
Receiving Stream	N/A		
Facility Latitude	35.96	Facility Longitude	-86.83

Applicant Name	Cookeville High School		
Permit Number	SOP-98043	Permit Writer Initials	WDM
County	Putnam	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Cookeville
Street Address/Location	1 Cavalier Drive		
City and/or Zip Code	Cookeville, TN		
Description of Activity	Pump station and force main to Cookeville STP		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed		
Receiving Stream	N/A		
Facility Latitude	36.19	Facility Longitude	-85.49

Applicant Name	Gerdau Ameristeel, Inc.		
Permit Number	SOP-81020	Permit Writer Initials	SEF
County	Madison	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Jackson
Street Address/Location	801 Gerdau Ameristeel Road		
City and/or Zip Code	Jackson, TN 38305		
Description of Activity	a two cell lagoon/holding ponds, recycle system of sanitary wastewater, and to pump and haul sanitary wastewater and leachate from an onsite landfill to Jackson Utility District Wastewater Treatment Plant		
Wastewater Description	No Discharge allowed from this system		
Receiving Stream	Dyer Creek approximately 0.5 miles		
Facility Latitude	35.73	Facility Longitude	-88.81

Applicant Name	Hamilton County Water & Wastewater Treatment Authority		
Permit Number	SOP-89044	Permit Writer Initials	SEF
County	Hamilton	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Chattanooga
Street Address/Location	county-wide		
City and/or Zip Code	Chattanooga, TN 37402		
Description of Activity	Sewage collection system to Chattanooga interceptor sewer system and Moccasin Bend STP		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed		
Receiving Stream	N/A		
Facility Latitude	35.22	Facility Longitude	-85.21

Applicant Name	TN State Parks Hiwassee State Scenic River-Ocoee River Rec. Area		
Permit Number	SOP-07065	Permit Writer Initials	JAH
County	Polk	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Chattanooga
Street Address/Location	Hwy 64		
City and/or Zip Code	Delano, TN 37325		
Description of Activity	Pump and haul of domestic wastewater to Cleveland Utilities		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed		
Receiving Stream	NA		
Facility Latitude	35.08	Facility Longitude	-84.49

Applicant Name	Transport Service Co. (formerly ETC Tank Cleaning)		
Permit Number	SOP-04030	Permit Writer Initials	JAH
County	Sullivan	Discharger rating	Minor
		EFO Name	Johnson City
Street Address/Location	1599 Jared Drive		
City and/or Zip Code	Kingsport, TN 37660		
Description of Activity	Internal and external cleaning of RCRA empty containers, pump and haul of wastewater		
Wastewater Description	No discharge allowed		
Receiving Stream	unnamed tributary of South Fork Holston River		
Facility Latitude	36.52	Facility Longitude	-82.55

POTW - Pretreatment Program Approvals:

None

The Division of Water Resources is authorized to approve local POTW Pretreatment Programs for the administration and enforcement of the National Pretreatment Standards of Performance for industrial users of the respective Publicly Owned Treatment Works listed in this notice. Additionally, the POTW Programs are required to prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will interfere with their operation, including the use or disposal of sludge, and prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will pass through the treatment works or be otherwise incompatible. All POTW Pretreatment Programs approved are in accordance with the Tennessee Water Quality Control Act, the federal Clean Water Act, and appropriate regulations.

End of List

How to Comment:

TDEC is requesting public comment on this permit action. Obtaining a broad range of facts and opinions on Agency actions is one of the best ways to ensure quality decisions. Persons wishing to comment on the proposed action are invited to submit comments in writing to the Division of Water Resources at William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 11th Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, Attn: Public Notice Coordinator, by fax number (615) 532-0686, or by E-mail at Water.Permits@tn.gov. Comments must be received by the public notice expiration date (July 14, 2014).

How to Request a Public Hearing:

Interested persons may request in writing that the Director of the Division of Water Resources hold a public hearing on any application. The request must be filed by the public notice expiration date (July 14, 2014) and must indicate the interest of the party filing it and the reasons why such a hearing is warranted. When there is significant public interest for a hearing, a hearing will be conducted according to Division of Water Pollution Control Rule 0400-40-05-.06(12). Public hearings will be announced through another public notice.

How the Department will Proceed:

The Director of the Division of Water Resources will determine the final permit action after considering comments submitted during the comment period, the hearing record, if any, and the requirements of the Federal and State acts and regulations.

To Obtain Permit Details:

Copies of the application(s) and draft permit(s) are also available for public inspection by contacting TDEC at <http://state.tn.us/environment/field-offices.shtml>, by calling 1-888-891-TDEC (8332), or by visiting the following locations during normal business hours:

Environmental Field Office - Chattanooga
540 McCallie Avenue, Suite 550
Chattanooga, TN 37402
(423) 634-5745
Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, Hamilton, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie

Environmental Field Office - Columbia
1421 Hampshire Pike
Columbia, TN 38401
(931) 380-3371
Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Giles, Hickman, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Marshall, Maury, Moore, Perry, Wayne

Environmental Field Office - Cookeville
1221 South Willow Avenue
Cookeville, TN 38506
(931) 432-4015

Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren,
Warren, White

Environmental Field Office - Jackson
1625 Hollywood Drive
Jackson, TN 38305
(731) 512-1300

Benton, Carroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, De Kalb, Dyer, Gibson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood,
Henderson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Obion, Weakley

Environmental Field Office - Johnson City
2305 Silverdale Road
Johnson City, TN 37601
(423) 854-5400

Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi, Washington

Environmental Field Office - Knoxville
3711 Middlebrook Pike
Knoxville, TN 37921
(865) 594-6035

Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Claiborne, Cocke, Grainger, Hamblen, Jefferson, Knox, Loudon, Monroe,
Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier, Union

Environmental Field Office - Memphis
8383 Wolf Lake Drive
Bartlett, TN 38133-4119
(901) 371-3000

Fayette, Shelby, Tipton

Environmental Field Office - Nashville
711 R.S. Gass Boulevard
Nashville, TN 37243
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Sumner, Trousdale, Williamson, Wilson

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State of Tennessee Antidegradation Policy:

Antidegradation determinations have been made in regard to the permits referenced in this Public Notice. Tennessee's Antidegradation Statement is found in Chapter 0400-40-03-.06 of the Rules of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation. The primary purpose of the antidegradation policy is to establish a greater level of protection for those waters that are identified to be of high quality. Generally, there are two types of high quality waters. Some high quality waters are those at near pristine conditions. These Outstanding National Resource Waters (ONRWs) are specifically designated by the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas and are afforded the greatest level of protection. No new discharges or expansion of existing discharges are allowed to result in degradation of the existing water quality. Waters determined to be high quality due to specialized uses and/or unique features and are identified by the Department as Exceptional Tennessee Waters are also protected against degradation.

Some degradation may be allowed in the Exceptional Tennessee Waters only if the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas deems it economically and socially necessary. Other surface waters not specifically identified and/or designated as high quality are referred to as waters with available or unavailable conditions. Generally, new discharges or increases in existing discharges may be allowed in waters not identified as ONRWs or Exceptional Tennessee Waters. The Division of Water Resource's evaluation of such discharges may include the following provisions:

- The proposed lowering of water quality by the discharge is necessary for economic growth or community benefit; the proposed discharge can not be mitigated by reasonable pollution prevention measures; and
- There is no other reasonable non-discharge alternative available to prevent the new/increased discharge to waters with available or unavailable conditions.

In all cases, the proposed discharge must meet water quality standards and fully protect all classified uses. Information used by the Division of Water Resources in evaluating any of the above provisions is available upon request.

State of Tennessee Policy of Non-Discrimination:

Pursuant to the State of Tennessee's policy of non-discrimination, the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability, or military service in its policies, or in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs, services or activities. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action inquiries or complaints should be directed to the EEO/AA Coordinator, Office of General Counsel, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 2nd Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, 1-888-867-7455. ADA inquiries or complaints should be directed to the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources Division, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 2nd Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102,

Please bring this notice to the attention of persons you believe will be interested.